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Norwich, Thursday, May 9, 1918.

THE WEATHER.

The northern disturbance of the last few days is central tonight over New Brunswick with decreased intensity and the attendant rain area within the last 24 hours covered New England.

There will be showers Thursday and Friday in western New England. Winds from Thursday and Friday: North Atlantic—Fresh, northwest winds, diminishing Thursday night, fair weather. Middle Atlantic—Moderate north winds; fair weather.

Forecast.
 Southern New England: Fair Thursday; Friday partly cloudy.

The following records, reported from Sevin's pharmacy, show the changes in temperature and the barometric changes Wednesday:

	Ther. Bar.
1 a. m.	68.7
2 " "	70.0
3 " "	70.0
4 " "	70.0
5 " "	70.0
6 " "	70.0
7 " "	70.0
8 " "	70.0
9 " "	70.0
10 " "	70.0
11 " "	70.0
12 " "	70.0

Comparisons.
 Predictions for Wednesday: Showers and cooler.

Wednesday's weather: Light rain in early morning, followed by fair; cooler at night.

Sun. Moon and Tide.	High	Low
Day	h. m.	h. m.
1	5.40	5.54
2	5.38	5.50
3	5.37	5.46
4	5.36	5.42
5	5.35	5.38
6	5.34	5.34
7	5.33	5.30
8	5.32	5.26
9	5.31	5.22
10	5.30	5.18
11	5.29	5.14
12	5.28	5.10

Six hours after high water it is low tide, which is followed by flood tide.

GREENEVILLE

Second of Community Sewing Meetings Held Wednesday—Notes.

Wednesday afternoon the second of the community sewing meetings was held in the Sunday school room of the Greenville Congregational church with about sixty ladies present. A list of names of those who attended is as follows: Mrs. R. H. Cross was in operation during the afternoon. The meetings will be held each Wednesday.

Henry S. Ringland Enlists.
 Henry S. Ringland of Norwich has enlisted in the U. S. Naval Reserve and received a rating of second class machinist. He resigned his position with the Mechanics' hotel in New London and is at his home in the village for a brief stay before taking up his new duties. He is the second son of Mrs. Ringland to answer the call to the colors as her oldest son, James G. Ringland, enlisted last fall as a chief machinist and is now stationed at Newport.

Repairs About the Village.
 Contractors Carroll and Haley are making interior repairs to the store of David Goldblatt on Central avenue. New shelves are being set up and other improvements made. The same firm is also shingling the house of Fred Bunt of North Main street. Mr. Bunt is having dormer windows built on his house.

Heard and Seen.
 Elmer Flynn was a business visitor in Clinton, Conn., Wednesday.

Miss Helen Johnson of New London is visiting friends on Central avenue.

Jacob Schwartz of Moosup was a visitor in the village Wednesday on business.

Charles Barber of Central avenue was among those making the trip to Clinton with the Shore Line ball team Wednesday.

TAFTVILLE

Bear Cats Challenge—Replacing Worn Ties on Spur Track—Other Local Notes.

The Taftville Bear Cats have organized for the season and would like to hear from any fast team in this part of the state. Sunday games are preferred. Address all challenges to Henry Popin, Taftville, Conn.

Observes Golden Jubilee.
 Tuesday was the fiftieth anniversary of the entrance of Rev. Mother Benoit of the Sacred Heart Convent into the sisterhood. One of the parishioners presented her with fifty carnations, twenty-five white and twenty-five red in honor of her golden jubilee. The children of Mary gave her ten dollars worth of flowers.

Replacing Rotten Ties.
 At intervals during the past few weeks the ties in the spur track from Taftville Station to the Ponemah mill yard have been inspected with the result that a force of men has found employment in putting in new ties to take the place of those rotted out. The work was finished Tuesday in the vicinity of Baldwin's store.

Cooking School Meets.
 The regular meeting of the Taftville cooking school was held in the Parish hall Wednesday evening with Miss Bertha Hallock, county club leader of the New London County Farm Bureau, in charge.

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Painting Mill.
 Workmen in the employ of the Ponemah company are at work painting the window sashes in Mill No. 2. Wednesday they were working on the West side of the building.

Providence Street Repairs Finished.
 The company has completed the repairs to the Providence street roadbed. The road which was in bad condition due to washouts has received a coating of gravel.

J. B. Martin Gardens.
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REELECTION OF Y. M. C. A. OFFICERS

James L. Case For President For Another Term—Annual Report Shows Year of Progress and Activity—Association Closes 15th Consecutive Year With All Bills Paid and Balance in the Bank.

At the annual meeting of the Young Men's Christian association held in the association building Wednesday evening James L. Case was re-elected president of the association. The meeting opened at 8 o'clock with prayer by L. O. Smith and was followed by the reading of the minutes of the last meeting.

Treasurer L. R. Church read his report for the past year, which showed a balance of \$27.35 and all bills paid. This is the thirteenth consecutive year that all bills have been paid and a balance shown in the bank. Other reports read at the meeting included the reports of the department of religious, educational, house, rental, physical, junior and the report of the trustees.

L. O. Smith, chairman of the nominating committee, presented the following names for election to office for the ensuing year: President, James L. Case; vice presidents, J. C. Macpherson, George H. Loring and B. P. Bishop; secretary, A. E. Cherry; treasurer, L. R. Church; and members, Philip Johnson, C. E. Carpenter, Charles Saxton and L. O. Smith; trustees for three years, William B. Young and Frederick W. Lester. The officers were unanimously elected.

It was voted to ratify the resolution of respect adopted by the board on the death of Amos A. Browning. It was also voted to extend a vote of thanks to James L. Case for the successful way in which he had conducted the association during the past year. A vote of thanks was given the press, pastore and the man's auxiliary for their co-operation.

The association has passed one of the most successful years in its history and has a bright outlook for the coming year.

President's Annual Report.
 The work of the year was summarized in the report presented by President James L. Case. It was as follows:

It is my pleasure tonight to call your attention to some of the important features of the work of the association during the past year. Because of existing world conditions, new opportunities for service have been offered to our association, and it is most gratifying to be able to report a larger and better work in almost every department of our activities than ever before. It has been our privilege to render service to our soldier boys in our own building, through our national cantonments and to our boys on the other side. Where there time it would be a pleasure to relate in detail a number of instances in which young men have been helped to such an extent that the whole course of their future lives has been shaped.

Inasmuch, however, as it is simply the province of this report to call your attention to the work of the association during the past year, I therefore ask your consideration of the work of the association during the past year.

Religious Work Department.
 Our Sunday afternoon services have been regularly held throughout the year. Through the kindness of Judge Thayer we were able for a number of weeks to hold them in the new building on Franklin square. The other meetings have been held in our own building, while special events have been held at the Davis theatre. During the year we have had a number of religious services of the officers of Sedgewick post, G. A. R., our meetings were conducted on the lawn in front of the Buckingham Memorial.

Bible classes have been regularly conducted for both men and boys and meetings have also been held at the county jail during the past year under the leadership of Edmund A. Prentice, who has so faithfully served the department of our work for so many years.

A Monday noon prayer service has also been held in our building. The opportunity for personal work among the many men who have frequented our building has been eagerly availed of by our general secretary and good advice and counsel have been given to many of our young men. Early in the year this department, as well as our entire association work, met with a severe loss in the death of Hon. Amos A. Browning. Mr. Browning had been chairman of this department for many years and was deeply interested in the work in order that the young men of our community might be benefited.

Mr. Browning's interest in all branches of our association work was very great and we have during the past months realized more and more the loss we have sustained. We feel sure that his good, sound and faithful service, has been a great loss to our common Lord and Master and that our great loss is his eternal gain.

Business Department.
 For the thirteenth consecutive year we have closed our accounts with a balance in the treasury and with all bills paid.

Our special campaign in May, 1917, for funds for a new building was successful and most gratifying and \$125,000 was pledged for this purpose. Of this amount \$50,000 has been paid, as will be shown by the report of the treasurer of the building fund. Of this amount, \$50,000 was contributed in accordance with the agreement made during the campaign, to the National Y. M. C. A. war work fund and \$1,200 has also been paid for the extension work of the association in the foreign field in China.

Our finance committee has given careful attention to the business affairs of our association and as a result financial credit of the association is of the highest.

Our trustees have given careful attention to the funds entrusted to them and a careful consideration of their report will be of interest to every member.

The sum of \$18,500 was assigned to Norwich and vicinity in the second Y. M. C. A. war work campaign and as a result of special effort a sum exceeding \$20,000 was pledged, of which practically all has been paid to the state treasurer.

Our building committee will also report that the very desirable properties

reun in charge. There was a good attendance.

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BORN.

MATRI—In Norwich, April 20, 1918, a son, George D. Matri, to George E. and Natalie M. Matri.

GLOWSKI—In Norwich, April 24, 1918, a daughter, Zilla Beatrice Glowski, to Stanislaw and Frances Klucwarka Glowski.

GORDON—In Norwich, May 7, 1918, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Gordon of West Main street.

HOOVER—In Norwich, May 7, 1918, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hoover of Prospect street.

BROWN—In Norwich, April 30, 1918, a daughter, Louise Margaret, to Henry and Geneva White Brown.

MARRIED.
KEELER—In Brooklyn, N. Y., May 5, 1918, Dr. Ralph H. Keeler of New London and Miss Kate Hart of Brooklyn.

DIED.
SHELDON—In Westerly, R. I., May 6, 1918, Sarah E. Sheldon, wife of James A. Sheldon, aged 72.

SAUER—In Bridgeport, May 7, 1918, Florence A. daughter of Henry and Nellie Sauer of Poquonnetuck, aged 25.

Funeral services will be held at her late home in Poquonnetuck this (Thursday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

CARD OF THANKS.
 We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness during the illness and at the death of our mother. These acts of sympathy will always be remembered by us.
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Resolutions of Respect.
 At a meeting of the Class of 1912, Norwich Free Academy, held May 8, 1918, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in His divine wisdom to remove from this life our beloved classmate, FLORENCE ADELAIDE SAUER. Whereas, In her death we have lost a loyal and esteemed member of our class; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Class of 1912, Norwich Free Academy, while humbly bowing in submission to the will of Almighty God, deeply mourn the loss of our beloved classmate, Florence Adelaide Sauer, whose sunny and kindly disposition won its way into the hearts of all; Resolved, That we tender our sincere sympathy to her bereaved ones and may they He who doeth all things give them strength to bear with fortitude their great loss.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the family of the deceased.

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Endowments.
 I wish it were possible for me to report an increase in our endowment funds. If the citizens of Norwich could realize the importance of having adequate funds of this character, I feel that the response would be more generous in the future than in the past. We are very grateful for the sum which has been given to us and which now amounts, according to the trustees' report to \$30,625. Perhaps someone will read this account and realize the opportunity of service to the men and boys of Norwich, and add to his will a clause making the association a beneficiary for a liberal amount.

The association has been very fortunate in retaining the services of General Secretary Edwin Hill as well as Boys' Secretary Ely. Both of these men have given unsparingly of their time and services and have worked early and late in order that the increased duties which devolved upon them, with the decreased force of assistants, might be accomplished. I bespeak for them the co-operation of every member of the association and I trust that each one will consider it his duty as well as his privilege to hold up the hands of these two splendid officials the coming months.

Our association was greatly honored in May, 1917, by having the Honorable William H. Taft as its anniversary speaker. Mr. Taft's coming to Norwich was one of the great events in our history and his address at our anniversary gathering held in the Davis theatre was one that will not soon be forgotten.

Bishop Acheson, of the Episcopal Church of Connecticut, also honored us by his presence, giving a large audience a most stirring and helpful address in the Davis theatre.

It is to be our privilege to have as our anniversary speaker at the Davis theatre on Sunday, May 12th, Dr. Thomas Travis of Montclair, N. J. Dr. Travis having been for many months identified with the National Y. M. C. A. war work among the soldier boys in France and will give to us his personal experiences gathered from daily life and what it means to be in active service in the trenches.

In closing may I express to one and all my very sincere appreciation of the co-operation that has been given the president during the past year. We realize more than ever the need in this community of services which should be properly rendered by our association and I ask your prayers that God's blessing may rest upon our entire work during the coming year. It is my desire that we shall fill a larger place in this community than ever before and that, co-operating with other organizations which alike engage in the building up of character, we may make Norwich a better city in 1918 than it has ever been in the past.

A promising young man is good but a paying one is better.

Benevolence.
 Under the leadership of our excellent chairman of this department, a number of the sick members have been visited, flowers have been sent, and whenever the opportunity offered, our boys have been remembered as the occasion required.

Foreign Work.
 Our association has for another year, paid for the service of an American secretary at Pao-tung-fu, China, association. Robert W. Clark, who visited our city some months ago, is still in charge of the work, having returned from his furlough in this country. The opportunity for service among the Chinese is very great and we are pleased to report that the re-union in this work have been most encouraging.

Women's Auxiliary.
 The members of the auxiliary have been most faithful in their efforts to assist in every possible way in the increased work of the association. The building fund campaign subscribed \$5,000 to the fund.

Throughout the entire year they have been most ready to meet the many demands made upon them and their interest in the work of the association seems to increase, as the years go by. It would be impossible for us as an organization

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POETRY

THE STAMP OF SUCCESS.
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 And next he bought a house and lot
 Beside a lily pond.
 He bought a pig and a cow,
 And he bought a diamond pin,
 A silver, and a portable
 Garage to keep it in.

He also bought a city block,
 A yacht, a limousine,
 With two twin chauffeurs up in front
 Dotted up in Russian green;
 A railroad and a factory,
 And steamship line, for so
 Do fortunes in the U. S. A.
 From little thrift stamps grow.
 —Mina Irving, in the New York Sun.

IN THE CEMETRY-DANES.
 I see the frail flags waving from the windows,
 I see the frail flags floating from the housetops,
 I see them in the sunlight gleam and glint;
 Thus they wave, thus they wave, thus they float,
 "Somewhere in France!"

Ours, our dear flags, our beloved banners,
 Symbols of our freedom, symbols of our honor,
 Fears for them? Nay, cheers for them!
 May their stars advance
 Down the fiery lanes, the lanes of onset,
 "Somewhere in France!"
 —Clinton Scollard, in the Waterbury American.

HUMOR OF THE DAY
 "It doesn't seem right," said the man with worn-out shoes.
 "What doesn't seem right?"
 "That a mere cow can afford to wear all that leather." —Washington Star.

Walker—What a stunning car Guy Wise drives! Is it his?
 Talker—Well, his wife bought it. She has the money you know.
 Walker—Ah—his motor-in-law—Puck.

"A woman once came stealing, silently into my life—"
 "I know. It was the girl you want to marry."
 "Not much. It was a female pickpocket." —San Francisco Chronicle.

"I don't understand this stuff about sealed proposals," declared Gertie.
 "Huh?"
 "It must be a very strange young man who would send a girl a proposal that wasn't sealed." —Kansas City Journal.

Mr. Bacon—I see our grocer has started his garden.
 Mrs. Bacon—I'm glad of that.
 "Why are you glad?"
 "Because now he'll not be out of everything we want, perhaps." —Yonkers Statesman.

"Don't cuff the little fellow, madam," remonstrated a passer-by. "Surely he has done nothing very bad, a sweet child like that."